

**PATENT**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of:

KENNETH O. McELRATH ET AL.

Serial No.: 10/719,689

Filed: November 21, 2003

For: CARBON NANOTUBE PARTICULATES,  
COMPOSITIONS AND USE THEREOF

Confirmation No.: 1900

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Examiner: Stuart L. Hendrickson

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**CUSTOMER NO. 23720**

**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION  
DATED AUGUST 21, 2007**

Commissioner for Patents  
P. O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This paper is submitted in response to the Office Action dated August 21, 2007 ("Office Action"), for which the three-month date for response is November 21, 2007.

It is believed that no fee is due; however, should any fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 to 1.21 be required for any reason, the Director is authorized to deduct said fees from Williams, Morgan & Amerson, P.C. Deposit Account No. 50-0786/3006.001900KG.

Reconsideration of the application is respectfully requested. Amendments to the claims begin on page 2. Remarks begin on page 6.